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Public (Political and Military B) Department

NOTIFICATION

No. 9827/PM B2/68/PD. *Dated, Trivandrum 30th January* 1968.

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub rule (i) of Rule 62 of the Defence of India Rules, 1962, the Government of Kerala hereby authorise carrying out of Artillery Practice and coastal firing towards sea throughout the area of the sea from the Equatorial Sounding Rocket Launching Station at Pallithura near Thumba in the Trivandrum District on 2nd February, 1968 according to the particulars mentioned in Schedule I. The danger area over which and the danger period during which the launching will continue are also specified in Schedule II.

SCHEDULE I

I. *Firing schedule:* The schedule of the rocket launchings are given below:

Date	*Time*	*Rocket*	*Pay load*
2nd February, 1968	1445 hrs. IST (0915 hrs. GMT)	Rohini	Nil
2nd February, 1968	1530 hrs. IST (1000 hrs. GMT)	Judi-Dart	S-band copper Chaff
2nd February, 1968	1850 hrs. IST (1320 hrs. GMT)	Nike-Apache	T.M.A + Langmuir Probe (OR) Proton Magnetometer + Langmuir Probe.
2 February, 1968	1915 hrs. IST (1345 hrs. GMT)	Centaure	T.M.A.

Note: 1. The actual time of launchings will vary between 1400 and 2100 hrs. IST (0830 and 1530 hrs. GMT) and flight sequence may also be altered depending on weather conditions, launch clearance and magnetic disturbances.

2. For duration of danger time, note Para VII.

3. All concerned will be notified as soon as the launchings are over for 'ALL Clear'.

II. *Description of the Rockets*:

'Nike Apache' and 'Centaure' are two-stage; 'Rohini' and 'Judi-Dart' are single-stage solid propellant rockets.

III. *Launcher coordinates:*

Longitude: 76° 51′ 32″ E
Latitude: 8° 32′ 34″ N

IV. *Firing direction:*

Azimuth: 260° (effective)
Elevation: 80°-85° (effective)

V. *Rocket performance:*

The two-stage rockets are capable of reaching an altitude between 140 and 170 km at launch elevation 80° to 85° with a payload weight of 25 to 35 kg.

SCHEDULE II

VI. *Impact points and danger area:*

The combined danger zones on the sea are given below:—

1. Danger Zone (I) is a sector of radius 5 NM from the launcher between azimuth angles 140° and 320°.
2. Danger Zone (II) is a sector between radii 20 NM and 115 NM and between azimuth angles 245° and 275° from launcher.

The above areas should be cleared of all shipping, fishing boats on the sea and the aircrafts should be cleared off the danger zones within azimuth angles 140° and 320° with reference to launcher coordinates as given in Para III above.

VII. *Duration of danger time:*

Between 1400 and 2100 hrs IST (0830 and 1530 hrs GMT) on 2nd February, 1968.

By order of the Governor,

S. NAGANATHAN,
Joint Secretary.

Office of the Inspector General of Police, Kerala State, Trivandrum-10.

NOTICE

No. C4-6716|68.

29th January 1968.

Whereas I am satisfied that the public place mentioned in Schedule I below is required in connection with the launching of the Equatorial Sounding Rockets from the Launching Station at Pallithura in the Attipra Village of Trivandrum Taluk by the Space Research Division of the Department of Atomic Energy to the Government of India.

I, M. Gopalan, Inspector General of Police in exercise of the powers conferred upon me under Section 24 of the Kerala Police Act, 1960 (Act 5 of 1961) hereby reserve temporarily the public place mentioned in Schedule II and prohibit person from entering the area so reserved save under conditions as may be prescribed by me.

SCHEDULE I

Place of launching:

The Rocket will be fired from the launcher on a pad at Pallithura near Trivandrum on the West Coast of India.

Firing Schedule:

Period|Date	*Launch time*	*Rocket*	*Payload*
2-2-1968	1445 hrs. IST (0915 hrs. GMT)	Rohini	Nil
2-2-1968	1530 hrs. IST (1000 hrs. GMT)	Judi-Dart	S-band Copper Chaff.
2-2-1968	1850 hrs. IST (1320 hrs. GMT)	Nike-Apache	T. M. A. + Langmuir Probe (OR) Proton Magnetometer+Langmuir Probe.
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2. For duration of danger time, note para VII.
3. All concerned will be notified as soon as the launchings are over for "ALL CLEAR'.

Description of the Rocket:

'Nike-Apache' and Centaure are two-stage; 'Rohini' and Judi-Dart are single-stage solid propellant rockets.

Launcher Coordinates:

The coordinates of the launch pad are.

Longitude: 76° 51′ 32″ E

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Firing Direction:

Azimuth: 260° (effective)

Elevation: 80° to 85° (effective)

Rocket Performance:

The two-stage rockets are capable of reaching an altitude between 140 and 170 km at launch elevation 80° to 85° with a pay-load weight of 25 to 35 kg.

SCHEDULE II

Impact points and Danger Area:

The combined danger zones on the sea are given below:—

1. Danger Zone (I) is a sector of radius 5 NM from the launcher between azimuth angles 140° and 320°.
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The above areas should be cleared of all shipping, fishing boats on the sea and the aircrafts should be cleared off the danger zones within azimuth angles 140° and 320° with reference to launcher coordinates as given in Para III above.

Duration of Danger timo:

Between 1400 and 2100 hrs. IST (0830 and 1530 hrs. GMT) on 2nd February 1968.

All types Aircraft, Shipping Boats etc., especially fishing boats of all description are warned to keep clear the danger areas mentioned above.

M. GOPALAN,
Inspector General of Police.

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Home (SS) Department

NOTIFICATION

No. 7501|SS3|68|Home. *Dated, Trivandrum, 31st January 1968.*

Under Section 4 of the Preventive Detention Act, 1950 (Central Act 4 of 1950), the Government of Kerala hereby direct (i) that the persons against whom detention orders are issued by the Additional District Magistrates in the State (District Collectors) in exercise of the powers under sub clause (ii) and (iii) of clause (a) of sub-section (1) of section 3 of the said Act, shall be detained in the Jails as specified below:

Persons from Trivandrum, Quilon and Alleppey Districts	Central Prison, Trivandrum.
Persons from Kottayam, Ernakulam and Trichur Districts	Central Jail, Viyyur.
Persons from Palghat, Kozhikode and Cannanore Districts	Central Jail, Cannanore.

(ii) that the conditions as to maintenance, discipline and punishments for breaches of discipline shall be as provided in the Kerala Security Prisoners' Order, 1968, issued in Government Notification No. 70245|SS3|67|Home dated 15-1-1968 and published in Part I, Kerala Gazette No. 5 dated 30-1-1968.

By order of the Governor,

A. K. K. NAMBIAR,

Secretary to Government.

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